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SUBJECT: CHANGES IN FORMER SECRETARIAT FOR INFORMATION TO FEC

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1. UNDER NEW YUGOSLAV FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, THE FORMER SECRETARIAT FOR INFORMATION BECOMES "FEDERAL COMMITTEE". IT WILL BE HEADED BY MUHAMED BERBEROVIC, WHO REPLACES FORMER SECRETARY DRAGOLJUB BUDIMOVSKI. IN RECENT CONVERSATION WITH BUDIMOVSKI'S OFFICE IT WAS LEARNED HE WILL EITHER GO INTO THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OR RETURN TO MACEDONIA. HE WILL REMAIN ON JOB IN BELGRADE THROUGH UPCOMING PARTY CONGRESS AND WILL RECEIVE PAO-DESIGNATE CATHERMAN AND DEPARTING PAO LITTELL, TOGETHER WITH HIS SUCCESSOR BERBEROVIC, ON MAY 30.

2. BERBEROVIC IS RELATIVE UNKNOWN. HE WAS BORN 1936 IN LJUBINJE, BOSNIA, AND GRADUATED FROM RAILROAD TRAFFIC SCHOOL IN ZENICA. HE ROSE THROUGH PARTY AND TRADE UNION CHANNELS TO BE MAYOR OF ZENICA, MEMBER OF BOSNIA-HERCEGOVINIAN PARLIAMENT, AND MEMBER OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF BIH PARTY. HE HAS NO KNOWN CREDENTIALS IN INFORMATION FIELD.

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3. PRESIDENT OF NEWLY CREATED FEDERAL COMMITTEE FOR SCIENE

AND CULTURE, IS TRPE JAKOVLJEVSKI, FORMERLY PRESIDENT OF
FEC OMMITTEE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, AND EX-AMBASSADOR
TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
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